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LABOR MARKET REVIEW

Economic Growth Region 3

Statistical Data Report for July 2014, Released August 2014

Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were generally little changed in July. Thirty states had unemployment rate increases from June, eight states had decreases, and 12 states and the District of Columbia had no change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Forty-nine states and the District of Columbia had unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier and one state had an increase. The national jobless rate was little changed from June at 6.2 percent but was 1.1 percentage points lower than in July 2013.

Mississippi had the highest unemployment rate among the states in July, 8.0 percent. North Dakota again had the lowest jobless rate, 2.8 percent. In total, 18 states had unemployment rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 6.2 percent, eight states and the District of Columbia had measurably higher rates, and 24 states had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation.

July 2014 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)							
Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Jul 2014 Rate	Jun 2014 Rate	Jul 2013 Rate	
U.S.	157,573,000	147,265,000	10,307,000	6.5%	6.3%	7.7%	
IN	3,274,235	3,083,441	190,794	5.8%	6.1%	7.5%	
EGR 3	376,798	354,487	22,311	5.9%	5.8%	6.5%	
Fort Wayne MSA	214,041	201,181	12,860	6.0%	5.6%	7.8%	
Adams Co.	15,437	14,645	792	5.1%	5.3%	6.7%	
Allen Co.	182,235	171,083	11,152	6.1%	5.7%	7.9%	
DeKalb Co.	21,256	20,159	1,097	5.2%	5.4%	7.5%	
Grant Co.	33,112	30,753	2,359	7.1%	7.2%	9.3%	
Huntington Co.	19,458	18,158	1,300	6.7%	5.7%	8.4%	
Lagrange Co.	17,234	16,402	832	4.8%	5.1%	6.4%	
Noble Co.	22,516	21,298	1,218	5.4%	5.6%	7.7%	
Steuben Co.	17,596	16,630	966	5.5%	5.8%	7.7%	
Wabash Co.	16,148	15,262	886	5.5%	5.9%	7.6%	
Wells Co.	14,195	13,421	774	5.5%	4.7%	7.1%	
Whitley Co.	17,611	16,676	935	5.3%	4.9%	7.1%	
Fort Wayne	126,114	118,132	7,982	6.3%	6.0%	8.3%	
Marion	13,065	11,929	1,136	8.7%	8.7%	11.0%	

State Release Date: 8/18/2014

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area

Unemployment Statistics



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Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Grant, Huntington, Lagrange, Noble, Steuben, Wabash, Wells, and Whitley Counties.

Unemployment Rates by State, July 2014

(seasonally adjusted)

U.S - 6.2%

Illinois - 6.8%

Indiana - 5.9%

Kentucky - 7.4%

Michigan - 7.7%

Ohio - 5.7%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Unemployment Rank by County, July 2014

(high to low)

#08 - Grant - 7.1%

#15 - Hungtington - 6.7%

#30 - Allen - 6.1%

#47 - Steuben 5.5%

#48 - Wabash - 5.5%

#49 - Wells - 5.5%

#52 - Noble - 5.4%

#57 - Whitley - 5.3%

#58 - DeKalb - 5.2%

#61 - Adams - 5.1%

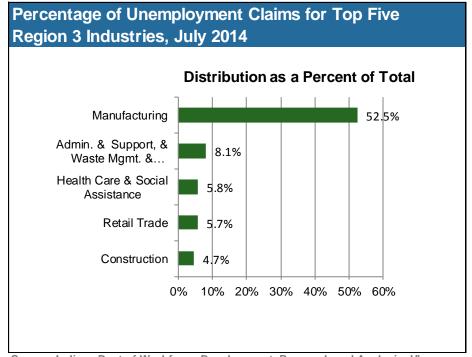
#79 - LaGrange - 4.8%

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to July 2014 from:							
CPI Item	Jul-13	Jun-14	Jul-13	Jun-14			
	Midwest Region*		U.S. City				
All Items	1.8%	-0.3%	2.0%	0.0%			
Food & Beverages	2.5%	0.1%	2.4%	0.3%			
Housing	2.3%	0.2%	2.7%	0.2%			
Apparel	2.3%	-2.3%	0.3%	-2.1%			
Transportation	0.5%	-1.7%	0.9%	-0.7%			
Medical Care	3.3%	0.3%	2.6%	0.1%			
Recreation	-0.4%	0.2%	0.4%	-0.2%			
Education & Communication	2.1%	0.1%	1.6%	0.2%			
Other Goods & Services	1.0%	-0.3%	1.8%	0.1%			

^{*}Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

WARN Notices

There are no WARN notices for July 2014 in EGR 3.

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm

Unemployment Claims, June 2014

Economic Growth Region (EGR) 3

Initial Claims

July 5, 2014 – 514 July 12, 2014 – 3018 July 19,2014 – 471 (D) July 26, 2014 – 360 (D)

Continued Claims

July 5, 2014 – 2593 July 12, 2014 – 4241 July 19,2014 – 2455 July 26, 2014 – 2288

Total Claims

July 5, 2014 – 3107 July 12, 2014 – 7259 July 19,2014 – 2926 July 26, 2014 – 2648

D' indicates item is affected by nondisclosure issues relating to industry or ownership status.

State of Indiana Initial Claims

July 5, 2014 – 3785 July 12, 2014 – 8329 July 19,2014 – 4163 July 26, 2014 – 3737

Continued Claims

July 5, 2014 – 26962 July 12, 2014 – 28699 July 19,2014 – 26093 July 26, 2014 – 25220

Total Claims

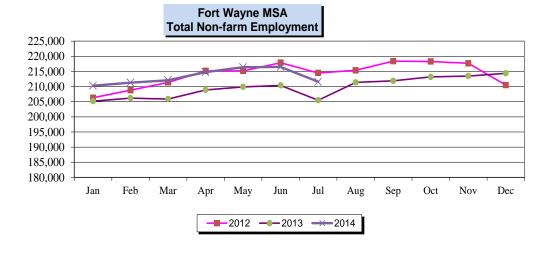
July 5, 2014 – 30747 July 12, 2014 – 37028 July 19,2014 – 30256 July 26, 2014 – 28987

Total claims include EUC (Emergency Unemployment Compensation) and EB (State Extended Benefits).

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis

Fort Wayne MSA Wage and Salaried Employment, July 2014								
					Percent			
					Change		Change	
Industry	Jul-14	Jun-14	Jul-13	Jun-14 t	to Jul-14	Jul-13 t	o Jul-14	
Total Nonfarm	211,600	216,500	202,600	-4,900	-2.3%	9,000	4.4%	
Employment	,			,				
Total Private Employment	194,300	195,200	186,900	-900	-0.5%	7,400	4.0%	
Goods Producing	44,100	44,900	41,900	-800	-1.8%	2,200	5.3%	
Service Providing	167,500	171,600	160,700	-4,100	-2.4%	6,800	4.2%	
Private Service Providing	150,200	150,300	145,000	-100	-0.1%	5,200	3.6%	
- Mining, Logging and Construction	9,800	9,400	10,100	400	4.3%	-300	-3.0%	
- Manufacturing	34,300	35,500	31,800	-1,200	-3.4%	2,500	7.9%	
Durable Goods	25,500	26,700	22,800	-1,200	-4.5%	2,700	11.8%	
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	4,000	4,000	3,900	0	0.0%	100	2.6%	
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	6,000	7,200	4,200	-1,200	-16.7%	1,800	42.9%	
- Trade, Transportation and Utilities	42,500	42,400	42,100	100	0.2%	400	1.0%	
Wholesale Trade	10,800	10,800	10,900	0	0.0%	-100	-0.9%	
Retail Trade	22,100	22,100	21,900	0	0.0%	200	0.9%	
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	9,600	9,500	9,300	100	1.1%	300	3.2%	
- Information	3,200	3,200	3,300	0	0.0%	-100	-3.0%	
- Financial Activities	11,900	11,800	11,900	100	0.9%	0	0.0%	
- Professional and Business Services	23,300	23,000	20,700	300	1.3%	2,600	12.6%	
- Education and Health Services	37,800	38,100	36,000	-300	-0.8%	1,800	5.0%	
- Leisure and Hospitality	20,500	20,300	20,400	200	1.0%	100	0.5%	
- Other Services	11,000	11,500	10,600	-500	-4.4%	400	3.8%	
Government	17,300	21,300	15,700	-4,000	-18.8%	1,600	10.2%	
- Federal Government	2,000	1,900	2,000	100	5.3%	0	0.0%	
- State Government	3,200	3,300	3,200	-100	-3.0%	0	0.0%	
- Local Government	12,100	16,100	10,500	-4,000	-24.8%	1,600	15.2%	
Local Government Educational Services	5,700	9,000	4,000	-3,300	-36.7%	1,700	42.5%	

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics



Applicant Pool

Top 20 Occupations Desired by Active Applicants on Their Resumes in the Past 12 Months

- 1 Production Workers, All Other - 919
- 2 Customer Service Representatives - 775
- 3 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other - 679
- 4 Helpers--Production Workers - 392
- 5 Office Clerks, General 381
- 6 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand - 330
- 7 Administrative ServicesManagers 309
- 8 Cashiers 298
- 9 Managers, All Other 281
- 10 Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks 234
- 11 First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers - 217
- 12 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard - 210
- 13 Accountants 181
- 14 Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants 181
- 15 Office and AdministrativeSupport Workers, All Other170
- 16 Secretaries and
 Administrative Assistants,
 Except Legal, Medical, and
 Executive 159
- 17 Nursing Assistants 157
- 18 Retail Salespersons 152
- 19 Receptionists and Information Clerks - 151
- 20 Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks 144

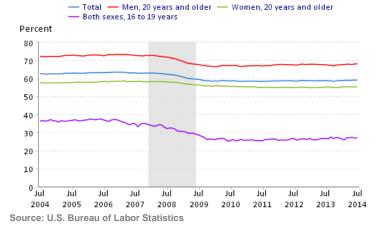
Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

Employment-Population Ratio and Long-Term Unemployment in July 2014

(Excerpted from the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, The Editor's Desk — August 05, 2014)

The employment–population ratio, at 59.0 percent, was unchanged from June to July 2014 but has edged up by 0.3 percentage point since July 2013. The ratio, which is the number of employed people as a percentage of the population age 16 and older, remains below its most recent peak of 63.4 percent in December 2006.

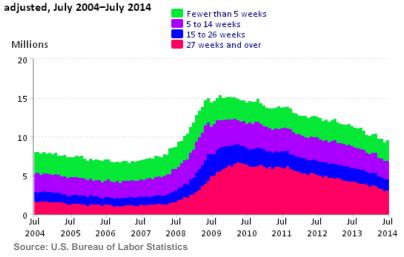
Employment-population ratios of the civilian population by gender and age, seasonally adjusted, July 2004-July 2014



The employment–population ratio of men age 20 and older, at 67.9 percent, was unchanged from June to July 2014 but has edged up 0.4 percentage point over the year. The employment–population ratio of women age 20 and older was 55.1 percent in July 2014, essentially the same as the prior month and a year earlier. Among 16-to 19-year-olds of both sexes, the employment–population ratio was 27.1 percent in July 2014, little different from a year earlier.

The number of long-term unemployed (those jobless for 27 weeks or more) was essentially unchanged at 3.2 million in July. These individuals accounted for 32.9 percent of the unemployed. Over the past 12 months, the number of long-term unemployed has declined by 1.1 million.

Number of unemployed people by duration of unemployment, seasonally



These data are from the Current Population Survey. For more information, see "The Employment Situation — July 2014," news release USDL-14-1391. More charts featuring Current Population Survey data can be found in Charting the labor market: Data from the Current Population Survey.

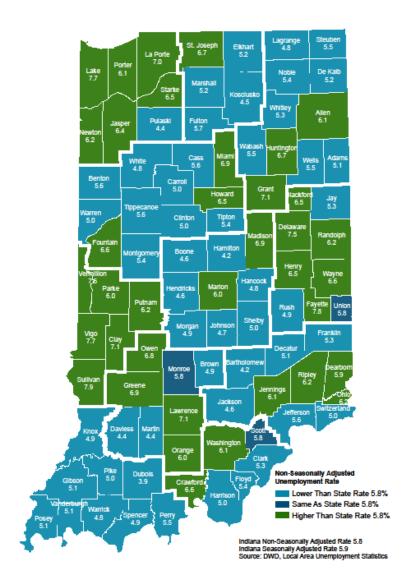
Frequently Listed Jobs

Top 20 Job listings by number of openings in Region 3 for the month of July 2014

- 1 Helpers--Production Workers
- 2 Production Workers, All Other
- 3 Team Assemblers
- 4 Eligibility Interviewers, Government Programs
- 5 Manufacturing Production Technicians
- 6 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand
- 7 Home Health Aides
- 8 Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All Other
- 9 Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders
- 10 Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
- 11 Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers
- 12 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other
- 13 Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers
- **14** Machinists
- 15 Cashiers
- **16** Retail Salespersons
- 17 Welders, Cutters, and Welder Fitters
- **18** Sheet Metal Workers
- 19 Construction and Related Workers, All Other
- 20 Industrial Machinery Mechanics

Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

County Unemployment Rates July 2014





Questions?

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